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In re the application of: Browning et al.

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For: ANTI-LYMPHOTOXIN-BETA RECEPTOR ANTIBODIES AS ANTI-TUMOR AGENTS

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is responsive to the final Office Action dated July 28, 2004. A request for the appropriate extension of time in which to respond is being filed concurrently herewith. Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Amendment and Response. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: